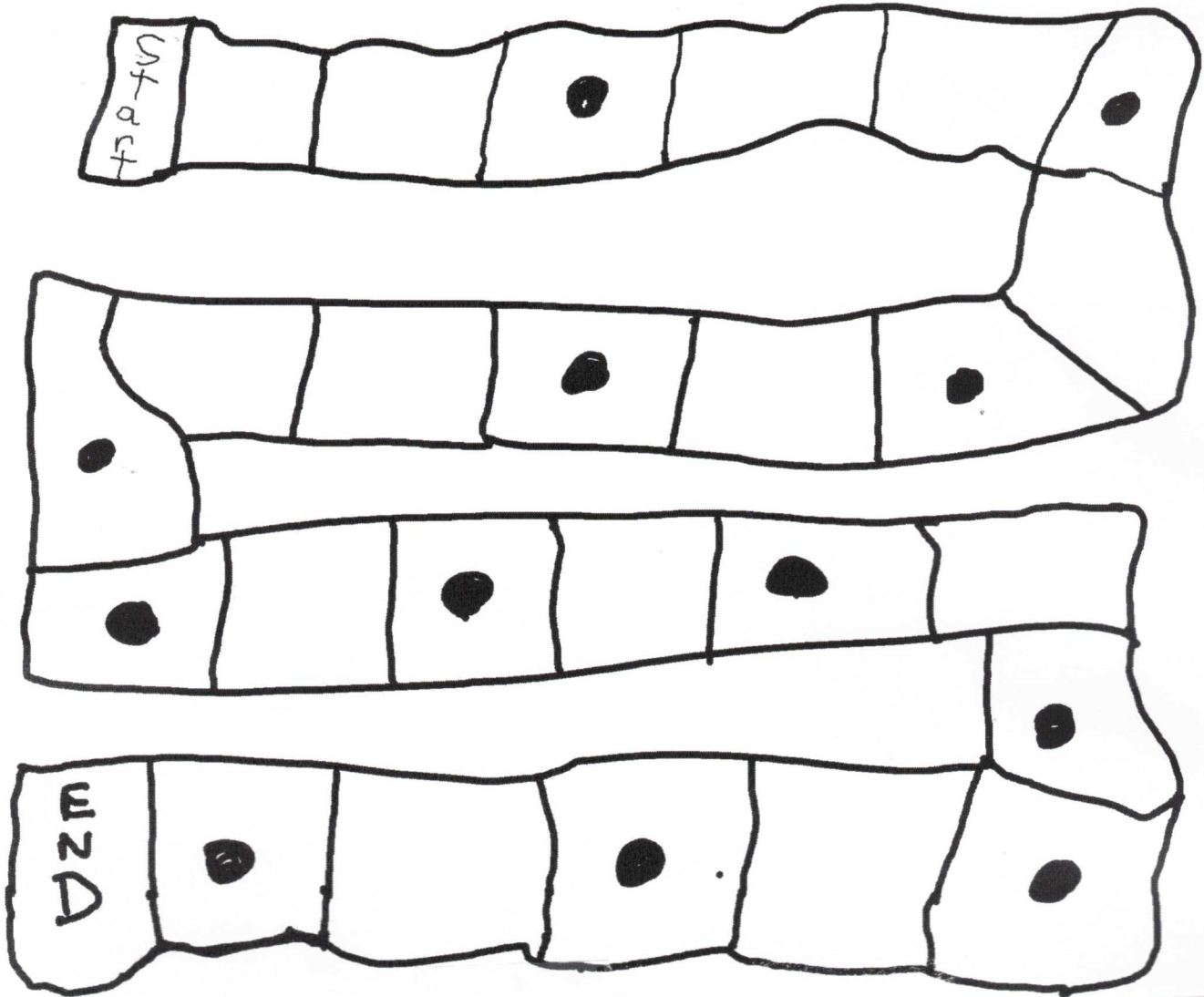


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Preschoolers: Roll a dice. Move your person that number forward through the ditches. When you land on a dot, lead the others in doing the thing that is written on the next card!



Wall around the room like they walked in the desert!	Pray to God!	Run away like the enemies!
Call for help "Elisha!"	Pretend to dig a ditch!	Celebrate God's victory with a small dance!
Pretend to play the harp or sing a song!	Get a drink of water!	Pretend to be thirsty!

Kindergarteners: There are a lot of words on the page. Draw lines from the big ones on the left to their matches who are hiding in the mess!

God- good food
can God
do camp con can
dot to
even every than event
more more do even
than we were wet
we as ask con
can the wet can
ask. wed thank
than

Kindergarteners: Practice writing your letters today.

Elisha told the

kings what he

heard God say

to do. Then they

dug the ditches

in the desert.

1st and 2nd graders: Match up the front half of some memory verses with the end half of the same verses.

For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son that whoever believes in Him...		...that's what my God can do. Ephesians 3:20
Exceeding abundantly above all we ask or think....	and have put on the new self. Colossians 3:9-10a
Do not lie to each other seeing you have taken off your old self with its practices...		...but with God all things are possible. Matthew 19:26
With man this is impossible.....	Do you believe this? John 11:25-26
I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me, even though he were dead, yet shall he live and whoever lives and believes in me will never die.	riches in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:19
My God will meet all your needs according to His glorious....		Shall not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16

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1st-2nd Graders: Find these words from the Bible account in the puzzle below:

ELISHA	PROPHET	GOD
DITCHES	WATER	DESERT
KINGS	HARP	BLOOD

E	L	I	S	H	A	G	H	X
T	I	T	U	S	B	O	A	W
B	L	O	O	D	B	D	R	A
L	D	K	I	N	G	S	P	T
U	I	M	A	R	L	Y	B	E
C	T	P	A	R	K	S	B	R
A	C	R	D	E	S	E	R	T
S	H	O	L	Y	D	I	A	J
B	E	P	O	L	I	V	I	A
B	S	H	B	B	B	B	B	Z
B	B	E	I	C	A	R	G	M
B	B	T	B	B	B	B	B	I
J	U	S	T	I	N	A	B	N

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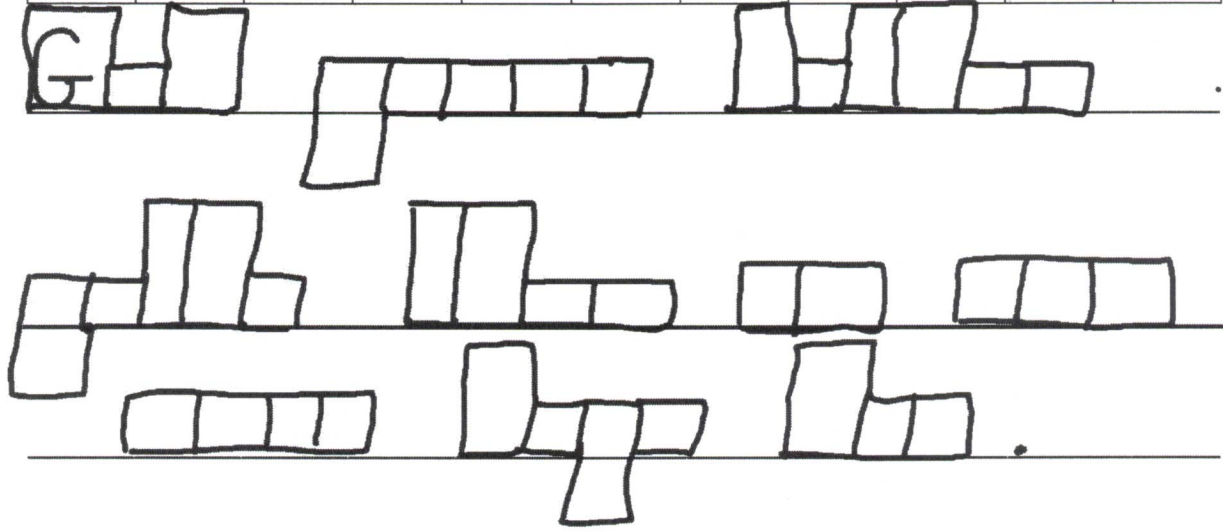
3rd-4th graders: Our recent memory verses are scattered on this page. Each verse has two parts. Your job is simply to draw the lines to connect the two parts.

For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son that whoever believes in Him...	Be still and know that Ithat's what my God can do. Ephesians 3:20
Exceeding abundantly above all we ask or think....	...and have put on the new self. Colossians 3:9-10a	am God. Psalm 46:10
Do not lie to each other seeing you have taken off your old self with its practices...	Is any one happy?	Is anyone of you in trouble?
With man this is impossible.....	...he should pray.Do you believe this? John 11:25-26
I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me, even though he were dead, yet shall he live and whoever lives and believes in me will never die.	...but with God all things are possible. Matthew 19:26riches in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:19
My God will meet all your needs according to His glorious....	...let him sing songs of praise.	Shall not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16

3rd and 4th Graders:

If there is an x in the bottom left hand corner write down the letter into the blanks below.

Q	x	R	x	E	S	G	o	H	x	d	s	H	e	x						
			x	x		x	x			x	y		x							
a	x	b	x	g	o	i	u	v	x	w	x	e	s	x	t					
d	x	b	o	x	e	t	o	x	t	D	x	e	g	x	r	x				
x	g	i	v	x	i	s	v	f	x	t	v	t	s	h	x	e	x	d		
i	x	t	x	h	d	x	e	x	a	e	x	n	c	x	x	e	x			
n	x	g	x	a	x	w	e	b	u	x	n	x	c	a	n					
d	x	e	x	v	a	x	n	x	e	t	l	x	n	y	x	a	x			
b	o	x	v	x	h	x	o	e	x	a	x	v	p	l	x	e	l	x		
k	x	s	x	f	a	v	n	v	x	o	a	u	c	z	x	r	z	e	t	w



5th-6th Graders: Sometimes the things we ask for God to do are (1) very small. Sometimes the things we ask Him to do are (2) very selfish. Sometimes we do not ask help because (3) we think we can do it ourselves. Sometimes we do not ask for what we really need because (4) we do not really think God can do it. Look at the short paragraphs below and see which excuse fits the weak prayer life.

Stan wants a new bike because his old one has a scratch on it. It is only a year old, but his friend James got a new one this summer and it would be really nice to have one like his. Jim's prayer for a new bike is an example of number ____.

Lord, I didn't have time to do my homework, please let me teacher not notice.
This prayer is maybe a number ____.

I can handle all this work by myself. There is no one else to help me, so why even pray about it? This thought is like number ____.

No one can cure cancer. It is hopeless. I will not even ask. This one is like number ____.

Why pray about my grades, I am a good student. I do not need God's help! This is an example of number ____.

Now write a prayer asking God to do exceeding abundantly above all your ask or think. Ask Him for the really big important thing that you do not talk to anyone else about. He cares. He can deliver. He can save. If He can fill trenches in a desert with water, He can do what you need most.

Dear God, _____

5th-6th Graders:

Unscramble the words in the word bank and then fit them into the blanks below it.

ODG	KEPOS	DOBOL	NUS
TLTBE	SHAELI	IELAHJ	GNIKS
SRTDEE	RAPY	PRAH	TREAW

The powerful prophet _____ had already gone to heaven in a chariot of fire. There was a new prophet whom God had chosen and Elijah had trained. This new prophet, who was the speaker for _____ was named _____. When three _____ were in a battle and needed God's help they went to Elisha and asked for help. He was hesitant to help King Joram because he was Ahab and Jezebel's son. He did help out of respect for King Jehoshaphat. He asked for some one to play a _____ for him. Quiet music can put us in a place where God can speak. God _____ to Elisha and told him to tell the people to dig _____ in the _____. It seemed so foolish. They obeyed. In the morning God filled them with water! The enemy saw the _____ reflected on the _____ and thought that it was _____. They thought God's people had fought each other. When they came in for the plunder, they lost the _____.

Sometimes God asks us to do things that seem as silly as digging ditches in a desert. As we learn to listen to His voice, we will learn to obey Him without questioning Him. Learn to _____ and then obey.